

Morris, Manitoba  
April 10th, 1953.

The Council of the Rural Municipality of Morris met in the Court House Building in the Town of Morris on the above date for the purpose of holding the regular monthly meeting. <sup>ACTING REEVE</sup> <sup>NEUFELD</sup> ~~MacKenzie~~ declaring the meeting opened, the Secretary read the minutes of the last meeting, which were adopted as being correct by motion of Councillors O. Bunkowsky and E. Saurette. Carried.

All members of the Council attended at the meeting.

- M.A.S ad Recksiedler-Stevenson: That we again insert our ad in the 1953 Prize List of the Morris Agricultural Society, as in last year's list. Carried.
- O.A.P. approved Stevenson-Bunkowsky: That we recommend to the Old Age Pension Board the application of Fred Schlak for pension. Carried.
- Business Tax Rate Bunkowsky-Saurette: That the Business Tax Rate for the year 1953 be set at 15% . Carried.
- Drain. pay't Toews & Fehr Stevenson-Recksiedler: That we pay Mr. D. Fehr of Winkler and A.G. Toews of Kane, \$150.00 each for Right-of-way across Sec. 29-4-2WPM, as per resolution of August 14, 1948. Carried.
- Aid re P. Esau Neufeld-Saurette: That Peter Esau, Lowe Farm, having suffered injuries while in the employ of our Municipality, be authorized to attend the St. Boniface Clinic for a thorough check-up. Any medical and hospital expenses in this connection to be carried by the Municipality. Carried.
- Adding Machine purchase Neufeld-Recksiedler: That we purchase one #8120P-5 Underwood electric adding machine at the price of \$292.50, with a trade-in-allowance of \$35.00 for our old Burroughs machine, or a total cash price of \$257.50. Carried.
- Operators D6 Stevenson-Saurette: That we hire Wm. Friesen and George Saurette as D6 operators, at \$1.00 per hour, for the 1953 season. Carried.
- Equipment Board "V" Neufeld-Saurette: That we appoint Bruce MacKenzie to "Equipment Board V" as required by the Drainage Maintenance Boards. Carried.
- By-Law 785 Greenbank S.D. Neufeld-Bunkowsky: That By-Law No. 785, being a By-Law for the purpose of a Money By-Law re: the Greenbank School District No. 2124, having been read a first time, be now considered as having been read the second and third time and passed, and the Reeve and Secretary-Treasurer be hereby authorized to sign and seal same. Carried.
- Building Committee Bunkowsky-Saurette: That we appoint a Building Committee consisting of Recksiedler and Stevenson, for the year 1953. Carried.
- Mun. Pump rental Neufeld-Ribordy: That we do not rent out the Pump Outfit from now on. Carried.
- By-Law 782 amended as to remuneration, of Councillors Neufeld-Saurette: That By-Law 782, being a By-Law fixing the remuneration payable to the Reeve and Councillors for the year 1953, be amended to read: "For attending each meeting of Council, \$10.00 per day and 10¢ per mile for each mile travelled to and from the place of meeting, providing that the amount in this connection does not exceed \$200.00 per Councillor and \$500.00 for the Reeve in any one year, as provided by Sec. 307-(1) of the "Municipal Act". Carried.
- Bills and Accounts Neufeld-Bunkowsky: That the accounts amounting to the Sum of \$28,441.61, be passed, and the Reeve and Secretary Treasurer be hereby authorized to issue cheques for the several amounts. Carried.
- By-Law re Nuisance Ground on SE 21-6-2W Ribordy-Neufeld: That By-Law No. 786, being a By-Law for the purpose of authorizing the purchase of about 4 acres of land on SE 21-6-2W for a Nuisance Ground, having been read a first time, be considered as having been read the second and third time and passed, and the Reeve and Secretary-Treasurer be hereby authorized to sign and seal same. Carried.
- Delegations Representatives from Underwood, Remington and Burroughs attended re sale of a new adding machine.
- Correspondence A letter was read from the Workmen's Compensation Board re Volunteer Firemen; further information was to be obtained as to rates.  
A letter from the Morris Community Club was read, requesting support re a Children's Playground; as this project was considered to mostly benefit residents of the Town of Morris, the request was not approved.  
An account of the Municipality of Fort Garry re aid for Z. Kreadinac was not approved.

The meeting adjourned about 5:00 o'clock in the afternoon; next meeting to be held on Friday, May 8th, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon.

*B. MacKenzie*  
Reeve

*J. H. Harker*  
Sec.-Treas.